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Sent on behalf of US EPA Office of Research and Development

It was great seeing everyone last week! On behalf of US EPA's Office of Research and Development, thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedules to visit EPA ORD's Gulf Ecology Division. We're so pleased that you were able to learn about EPA research and see first-hand some of the innovative work being done by EPA ORD scientists. We appreciated having the opportunity to learn, share and collaborate with all of you.

It is very helpful for us to hear more about the environmental issues states are confronting and receive feedback on how ORD's research, tools and data can more effectively support state environmental protection efforts. We hope you found the research presented useful. We look forward to continuing our dialogue and sharing more of our applied science tools with you to help inform environmental decision making.

Attached are the presentations from the September 28th meeting and a copy of the ORD contact list for ECOS/ERIS members. Please feel free to contact me or Lisa Matthews, ORD's State Liaison (matthews.lisa@epa.gov or 202-564-6669) with any questions or follow-up.

Sincerely,

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Attachments:

ORD Overview

Gulf Ecology Division (GED) Overview

Coastal General Ecosystem Model (CGEM)

Nutrient Criteria

National Aquatic Resource Surveys (NARS)

EPA H₂O Tool

Gulf Restoration Update

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